



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : II NAH Group Art Unit: 3679  
Appln. No. : 10/720,337 Examiner: Michael J. Kyle  
Filed : November 25, 2003 Confirmation No.: 3926  
For : INSERT-NUT OF A CARRIER IN A CAR

**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
220 20th Street S.  
Customer Window, Mail Stop \_\_\_\_\_  
Crystal Plaza Two, Lobby, Room 1B03  
Arlington, VA 22202

Sir :

In response to the Official Action of October 21, 2004, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on January 21, 2004,  
DO NOT ENTER  
Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding objection and rejections, as well as an indication of the allowability of all the claims pending in the present application.

**Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper and includes one attached sheet.**

**Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.**

**Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.**